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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of December 24, 2008 finally rejected claims 13-19 and 26-28.

The following items are submitted herewith:

- Supplemental Reply Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in Response to December 24, 2008 Office Action including two attachments ("Competitive Inhibitors", downloaded March 4, 2009 (2 pages) from http://www-biol.paisley.ac.uk/Kinetics/Chapter_3/chapter_3_2.html; and "Competitive Inhibition" downloaded March 4, 2009 (4 pages) from http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Competitive inhibitor.
 - Completion of Record including
 - Request for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for three months.

- Payment including the amount of \$1,650.00, of which \$1,110.00 is for the payment of the extension of time fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a) and of which \$540.00 is for the payment of the appeal fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 41.20 (b)(1).

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

If there are any questions about this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully Submitted, Arne HOLMCKEN et al.

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